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SUBJECT: REPLY TO FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE FROM FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA

1. EMBASSY REQUESTED TO DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY TO FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA

2. BEGIN QUOTE: DEAR MR. MINISTER: PLEASE ACCEPT MY SINCERE THANKS FOR YOUR GRACIOUS CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE ON THE OCCASION OF THE ANNIVERSARY OF AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE. I ALSO WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO EXTEND MY PERSONAL GREETINGS TO YOU. BEST REGARDS, HENRY A. KISSINGER. END QUOTE.

3. FYI. FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA SENT THE SECRETARY THE FOLLOWING FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE: BEGIN QUOTE: ON THE OCCASION OF THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PLEASE ACCEPT SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS AS WELL AS BEST WISHES FOR YOUR PERSONAL WELL-BEING. END QUOTE.

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4. DEPARTMENT DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE THE TEXT OF THE

SECRETARY'S MESSAGE BUT IT HAS NO OBJECTION TO ITS RELEASE  
BY THE RECIPIENT. KISSINGER

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## Message Attributes

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